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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q64938

Tsuyoshi KITAHARA

Appln. No.: 09/894,121

Group Art Unit: 3729

Confirmation No.: 6181

Examiner: Tugbang, Anthony D.

Filed: June 29, 2001

For: PIEZOELECTRIC VIBRATOR UNIT, MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF,
AND INK JET RECORDING HEAD INCORPORATING THE SAME

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Final Office Action of December 3, 2003 and the Advisory Action of May 17, 2004 to June 3, 2004.

A check for the statutory fee of \$950.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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